Mountain Weather Forecast

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Wednesday 26 Oct 2022 until 23:59 on Thursday 27 Oct 2022

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 25 Oct 2022 at 16:55

Confidence: High for a changeable and mild south to southwesterly flow to continue across the Brecon Beacons into the weekend. Low for timing of clearance of rain on Friday morning and for rainfall details over the weekend.

Headline for Wednesday 26 Oct 2022: Very windy. Mainly dry and bright with just the odd passing shower.

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 26 Oct 2022

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales Medium Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m

Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Heavy Rain	Fog	Heavy rain showers (night)	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability							
90%	70%	70%	30%	20%	30%	20%	20%

Forecast for Wednesday 26 Oct 2022

Weather: Heavy rain clearing away in the early hours. Some bright or sunny periods expected through the day along with the chance of a few brief showers, but some good spells of drier weather expected too. Difficult walking conditions in the strong winds.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 10% before dawn, becoming 80% in morning.

Low cloud and visibility: Mainly good visibility expected throughout daylight hours. Cloud down to 400 metres at first, this breaking in the morning with patchy cloud around 700 to 800 metres for the rest of the day. Brief reductions in visibility in showers.

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Forecast for Wednesday 26 Oct 2022

Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	28/38 S	29/39 SW	29/40 S	28/38 SW	29/40 SW	27/38 SW	22/32 S	20/29 S	19/27 S
300	15/32 S	16/34 SW	17/36 S	16/34 SW	18/36 SW	15/32 SW	10/24 SW	9/21 S	8/20 S
Valley	12/29 S	12/30 SW	15/35 S	13/31 SW	15/33 SW	13/29 SW	8/22 SW	7/19 S	6/15 SE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	12/7	11/7	11/7	11/7	11/7	12/7	10/7	10/6	10/6
300	13/11	13/10	13/10	13/10	14/11	14/11	13/11	12/10	12/10
Valley	14/12	14/12	14/11	14/12	15/12	15/13	13/12	12/11	12/11
Freezing Level*	2800m	2200m	2200m	1900m	1800m	1800m	1900m	1800m	2100m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Note the strong winds at height leading to difficulty making progress. Potentially hazardous conditions on summits and exposed ridges with gusts of 50 to 60mph.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
14:00 on Tue 25 Oct 2022	6.8mm	15.4mm	26.2mm

Forecast for Thursday 27 Oct 2022

Weather: A rather cloudy day with passing showers, briefly heavy and possibly thundery. Some drier interludes likely in the afternoon.

Maximum wind: A blustery day with southerly winds gusting 30 to 40 mph on the tops and ridges.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 50%.

Low cloud and visibility: Periods of low cloud down to 500 to 700 metres. Mainly good below the cloud with just brief reductions in showers.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 11 rising to 15 or 16 Celsius
At 600m: Plus 11 Celsius
Freezing level: Above summits.

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